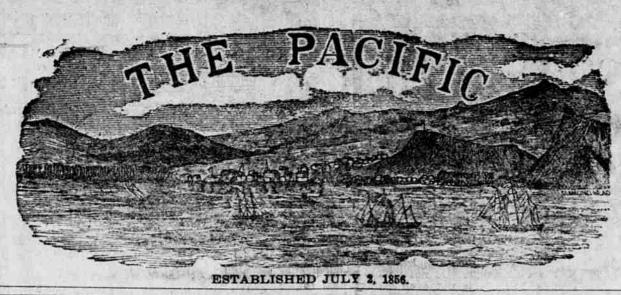
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**TEACHERS** 

MEET.

Honolulu Circle of

T. T. As'n in

Session.

Last Evening's Meeting at the

High School Well-Attended.

The Honolulu Circle of the Territorial Teachers' Association met last night at

the High School and an interesting and instructive program was carried out.

Several capable papers were read by

teachers who had given much thought

to their subjects, the papers read by

Mrs. L. M. Walker and J. W. Gilmore

being especially entertaining and helpful by suggestion to the teachers.

The program was opened with a song

by the girls of Kawaiahao Seminary

and J. W. Gilmore followed with a pa-

per on the subject of "Nature Study.

Miss Alice Wood favored the association with a violin solo, after which the

paper on "Nature Work, the Basis of

Reading," by Mrs. L. T. Walker was

read. Another song by the girls of Kawalahao Seminary and Miss May Laughlin's paper on "Nature Work and

Art" completed the formal program and

the meeting was given over to an in-

formal discussion of the papers on

Mr. Edgar Wood, principal of the

Normal School, spoke at some length

upon the subjects brought up and was

heartily applauded for the many valuable ideas he advanced for the assist-

ance of the teachers in directing the

young idea in the right way. Questions

asked by other teachers were answered

by Mr. Wood and an hour was taken

The following is the paper on "Nature

BASIS OF READING.

nature. There is a strong bond between

The child is always in sympatny with

PAPERS READ

SOME USEFUL

## FEAST OF SHRINERS AT MOANA HOTEL

An Evening of Dining, Wining, Music, Oratory and Best of Cheer.

THOSE WHO HELD ON TO THE ROPE **ENTERTAIN RED-FEZZED FRATERS** 

List of Those Who Received the Splendid Hospitality of Aloha Temple Close to the Wet Sands at Waikiki Beach.

the occasion of the compli- ladies were in decollete costume. ary dinner given by Aloha Temple | Toward the end of the menu Toast-

hall in which the banquet was laid. world has ever seen or known. Music there was, of course. From "The representatives of our order are

ded with more informality and yet sist. th such a marked degree of attention ents which rolled melodiously from Hawaii on such a mission. 8 lips, both to the Aloha Temple als Oasis, and also to the ladies, drew se from his many admirers, who gion and come from every state territory in the Union, including baby territory-Hawaii.

man of handsome physique, possing the oratorical voice, whose ds were delivered in a way that fined the auditors, he was at once man of men at the banquet. Speak name of Winsor and it is like rubthe lamp of Aladdin-for the genii he Mystic Shrine at once respond

assemblage which gathered bethe roof of the Moana hotel was such an one as the Pacific ely seen. No pilgrimage of the fficials of the Shrine has ever en undertaken into such a far-Oasis as Hawail, and at no time Potentate and his Council ever an escort since the days of sades. These were the greatest wn to that ancient Arabic ore women who have journeyed aravan across the hot sands ir lords and masters were arin the most beautiful evening and vied with their Honolulu dazzling the eyes of the fez-Masonic fraternity made them and there was little need of inns as the towns folk came into ous corridors of the hotel and reeted with "Aloha, aloha oe." Louis T. Grant of Aloha Tema master of ceremonies to be He was assisted in marshalof Shriners by Nobles and Rothwell, may whose shader grow less! The latter, two

down the toboggan, especially after their guests. At 7:30 o'clock the procession marched the banquet hall, where the six g tables were ready. Manager Smith the hotel proved himself equal to the

most indefatigable Shriners who

OR He's a Jolly Good Fellow, tasck of seating such a numerous tribe Wela Ka Hao! sang the three where it ought to go and soon had them hundred Shriners and ladies arranged under the supervisor of Steward Bidgood, eighty at a table, more who sat down at the groaning than three hundred all told. The tables at the Moana hotel last Shriners wore their fezzes. Most of the

onolulu to Imperial Potentate Lou master Grant arose and proposed a Winsor, the Imperial Officers and was drank with avidity. The Imperial toast to the Imperial Potentate, and it clate Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Potentate, gracefully paying a complih music, clinking of glasses filled ment to the assemblage, made a happy he brim with the sparkling juice of reply: "Inspiring indeed is the toast grape, and in the presence of the spiring indeed is this occasion. I would est of women and the noblest of that it were in my power to paint a pers of the ancient Arabic order, word picture in eloquence worthy of banquet was the most successful this event. Proud am I of this great ever given in the Hawaiian Islands. Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shriners. I challenge the world to show ix long tables, white and shining duce an assemblage of such distinwith vases of the choicest of Ha- guished gentlemen, accompanied by such charming ladies (tumultous applause) as this. No other institution has ever been raised upon a more solid marguerites and roses of the dain- foundation. Every one who applies at of hues-made a picture that grew the outer gates of our order must prethe Shriners and their ladies as sent as his credentials a certificate that he has attained high degree in the stepped within the threshold of greatest fraternal organization the

orchestra gallery, itself a pictur- scattered throughout the fertile oasis sic floated ever and anon, mingling son to give the names of ten, fifty dise of the Pacific,' and which I assure Chipman. th the clinking of the glasses and the or one hundred of its leading citizens- you should be enlarged to the 'Paradise e irresistible national anthem drew nence for the stability of their charac- your claim. I wish that we had in our were soon whirling away in the dizzy ter, for their intelligence and philan- native tongue words to express the mazes of the waltz in the ladies' parth vociferous melodies and the Red, thropy-and I will venture the state- sentiments which swell up within us, lor, which had been cleared for the ty to be thrown to the winds and come their wives (applause). I have responded to the toast, "The Imperial Shriners began to dwindle away and ing Shriners present: ands, heads and glasses waved in the as the catchy strains merrily broke upon the gayety at the banquet ta
when a march was played the air come more beautiful (corrected to the toast, "The Imperial soon the banquet was remembered in the dreams of those who were there.

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"In the linger Longer Lu' with him, as he had been given no intimation that he had been given no in 8. When a march was played the air come more beautiful (applause); that was to speak. He spoke warmly of the list the feet to tap in military pre- is, it seems to me, as I look upon them, sion upon the polished floor and as they must have reached the climax visiting caravan in Honolulu, and said Whistling Rufus" greeted their ear, all (applause). I fear I owe an apology to bught of formality was thrown aside one whom I understand is to follow me, of Aloha Temple. He said he took d the lips of all, handsome men and to pay his respects to the ladies. As pride in Hawaii's everlasting summer dr women, were puckered in an effort fascinating as the subject is to me and in the warm, genial dispositions of as delighted as I would be to linger

"I want to express my pride in the those who were the guests. The latest addition that we have made in est of honor, Imperial Potentate Win- the matter of the enrollment in the will, but the scent of the roses will linwas in his element, and when call- Mystic Shrine of Alona Temple (apupon to respond to the toast, "The plause). Pleasant indeed and most sat- Other toasts were responded to as rial Potentate," the graceful com- isfactory has it been to us to come to follows: "Saladin Temple," George F.



its people. Honolulu was a green spot No banquet in Honolulu was ever at- upon it, I know I owe it to him to de- in the oasis and he trusted that its memories would exist long in the hearts Petits Pois. of those who had seen it. "You may break, you may shatter the vase if you

Sinclair; "The Present Pilgrimage," J.

At the conclusion of the banquet the rge of the surf. Music was in the air. I mean those who have attained promi- of the World'-and no one will dispute guests repaired to the main hotel and hite and Blue never found more will- ment that four out of every five of these but not attempting that, I am led to re- occasion and a canvas spread upon the g and patriotic throats to carry its men are members of the Mystic Shrine, ly upon your one beautiful word with floor. The great hostelry was ablaze wept shores; the rythmic measures of members of our order is in looking upon the Georgia cake walk caused all digthe Georgia cake walk caused all digthose whom they have selected to bethe good judgment of the good

> California Oyster Cocktail. Salted Jordan Almonds. Manzanetta Olives. Lobster Saute a la Newberg. Larded Tenderloin of Beef

Stuffed Tomatoes a la Duxelle, Punch a la Romaine. Roast Spring Chicken au Cresson. Rissole Potatoes Cold Smoked Beef Tongue. Ham Glace. Sliced Turkey.

Lettuce a la Francaise.

Plombiere Ice Cream.

aux Champignons.

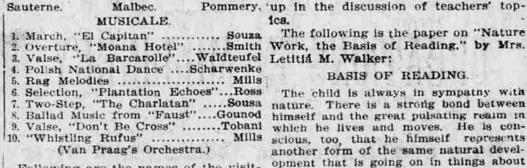
Assorted Cakes. Navel Oranges Native Bananas. Fromage de Roquefort.

of North America. Go into any city things since coming here—the Islands B. Wood; "The Recent Pilgrimage," J. Sauterne. of our land and ask any interested per- which you so modestly style the 'Para- A. McCandless, "The Ladies," Charles Malbec MUSICALE.

(Van Praag's Orchestra.)

Following are the names of the visit-

John D. Black, Dr. Fred. N. Bonine, R. is the personification. Crawford, Miss Anna Crawford, Charles little children. Chipman and wife, D. L. Cornwell and True nature study is giving the child wife, Joseph F. Crater and wife, Mrs. a chance to observe life and its phebel Clark, G. Chiera and wife, J. C. gate freely. Campbell and wife, Miss Campbell, A. We all know that successful teaching K. Detwiler, George C. Diefenderfer and depends on being to gain attention.



'Nature Study."

himself and the great pulsating realm in which he lives and moves. He is conappressive strains out upon the breeze- Perhaps the best example that can be which to close my remarks—Aloha, with lights from top to bottom and was 10. "Whistling Rufus" .......... Mills scious, too, that he himself represents another form of the same natural development that is going on in things about him. He is interested-he is held spelbound by such a simple little thing as a Lawrence W. Atkins, Joseph W. Aylor, spider trying to build a bridge from one James T. Ashworth, H. Ashley and tree to another. He will never tire lying wife, Miss Alice M. Ashley, Miss Lizzie on the beach and watching the antics Anderson, Dr. F. W. Blake, Dr. J. W. of a host of sand crabs. All the time Brown, Dr. J. L. Benepe and wife, D. he is in a quandary. He is wondering, Benepe, John Bakely, Dr. Louis Barth wondering, wondering. In other words, and wife, W. W. Branch and wife, he is seeking for truth, that highest of Charles Becker, J. B. Barnett and wife, all spiritual attainments of which God

C. Barr, Dr. O. C. Bunting, John R. It is such facts as these that give one Bordeaux, Jos. B. Britton, W. H. Cur- sufficient reason for believing that narier and wife, Bernhardt Cramer, Donald ture study is a true basis on water to Campbell, Josiah S. Caldwell, H. A. bulld the first language and reading of

T. M. Callahan, O. M. Clark, Miss Ma- nomena and permitting him to investi-We all know that successful teaching

V. Dykeman and wife, C. B. and hold the interest; and no better Dean, B. L. Dewey, F. O. Evans and means to do this can be found than wife, Samuel Felt and wife, Charles E. through nature study. It promotes selfexpression, the chief factor in education. The teacher has an important part to play in nature study. It is her duty to bring existing conditions before the child in order that he may find material for observation. It is not necessary for her to seek the marvelous or remote, but rather to choose the common objects found near home. It is her duty when the child's interest lags to awaken it anew by some valuable hint or suggestion. It is not essential that the child be told things, but that he be put in a way to discover for himself. It is the teacher's duty to help the child collect and systematize his newly acquired thoughts always holding before him that the ideal to be sought is truth.

When this new stock of knowledge has been carefully expressed by the child it falls to the teacher to place it before him in writing. Thus the oral expression (which is by no means lasting) is preserved in another form. Now the child is able to read his own utterances or perhaps those of another on the same

Just at this juncture it might be well to consider what expressions should be put in writing and preserved for future reading. Some are of the opinion that every sentence given by the child on a certain subject, and every topic discussed should in some shape be registered and form the lessons in reading. This is a grave mistake. Many things come to the child's notice and on which a little talk is interesting, instructive and judicious, but may not be suited for reading at that stage of development. For example, my little tots have been observing the new automobile hacks. One morning we had a very pleasant little talk about them. Before the subject was dropped, the class learned that it was the same power that moved the automobiles, the cars up the mountain and rang the bells in the school, and that the name of that power was electricity. We had a good language lesson, but thought it was not wise to carry the matter further. What expressions should be preserved?

Those expressions that are needed at that particular period.

Simplicity should be the constant watchword of a receiving class teacher. We are too anxious to have the child grasp in a single term that which takes



THE MOANA HOTEL WHERE THE BANQUET WAS HELD.

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